

Northwest Highlands

Including Sutherland, Ben Wyvis, Wester Ross, The Cuillin, Glen Affric, Glen Shiel and Knoydart
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 28 Jul 2022 until 23:59 on Friday 29 Jul 2022

Forecast Issued on Thursday 28 Jul 2022 at 03:19 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for Thursday. Low for timing of arrival of rain on Friday. High for a changeable weekend, but low for daily detail.

Headline for Thursday 28 Jul 2022: Mainly dry with some brightness. Light winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 28 Jul 2022

Blizzards

No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow

No Likelihood

Storm force winds

No Likelihood

Gales

No Likelihood

Severe chill effect

No Likelihood

Poor visibility

No Likelihood

Thunderstorms

No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain

No Likelihood

Strong sunlight

Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
					
Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
10%	10%	10%	30%	30%	00%

Forecast for Thursday 28 Jul 2022

Weather: Many ranges will have a dry day with some bright or sunny periods. A few showers may develop during the afternoon and evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90%

Low cloud and visibility: Very good visibility with good air clarity. Cloud will be mostly above the summits

Forecast for Thursday 28 Jul 2022

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)				Wind Direction (blowing from)		
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	11/13 SE	8/11 SE	7/10 S	6/9 W	6/8 NW	4/6 NW	8/11 S
900	10/12 SE	8/11 SE	6/9 S	6/9 W	6/8 NW	4/5 NW	8/11 S
600	8/10 SE	6/9 SE	5/8 S	6/9 W	5/8 NW	3/4 NW	6/9 S
300	2/7 E	3/8 SE	2/7 S	3/7 SW	4/7 NW	1/3 NW	1/7 S
Glen	3/4 E	2/6 SE	3/6 SW	5/9 W	3/6 W	1/2 S	2/4 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	8/5	8/6	10/9	11/10	10/9	9/8	8/6
900	8/6	9/7	11/10	12/11	11/10	10/9	9/7
600	11/9	11/10	13/12	14/13	13/12	12/12	11/10
300	11/11	14/14	16/16	17/17	16/15	14/14	12/12
Glen	14/14	17/17	18/18	18/18	17/17	15/16	14/15
Freezing Level*	2000m	2000m	2100m	2300m	2400m	2400m	2400m

*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

Feeling warm and humid on lower slopes in the afternoon.

Forecast for Friday 29 Jul 2022

Weather: Most of the day will be dry with some spells of warm sunshine. Thickening cloud will bring rain to Skye by late afternoon, and remaining areas through the evening.

Maximum wind: Southerly to 20 to 30 mph

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 70%

Low cloud and visibility: Some patchy cloud around 600 metres at first but this soon dispersing. Otherwise very good visibility with cloud above summits for most of the day, some cloud down to 600 metres as rain spreads east in the evening.

Temperature: Glens: Plus 10 rising to 21 Celsius by afternoon

At 800m: Plus 13 Celsius

Freezing level: Above summits